

IN THE CLAIMS

Claim 1 (original): Lighter comprising a housing (3) with a fuel tank (2), a lighter head (4) with a burner device (6) and an ignition device (7), said lighter being characterized in that, the fuel (5) located in the fuel tank (2) is embodied in such a way that information, provided on an Information Carrier (9) arranged in the fuel tank (2), is at first hidden by the fuel (5) and is gradually made visible on use of the fuel (5).

Claim 2 (original): Lighter according to claim 1, characterized in that the fuel (5) is colored.

Claim 3 (currently amended): Lighter according to claim 1 ~~or 2~~, characterized in that the housing (3) is at least partly made of a transparent plastic material.

Claim 4 (currently amended): Lighter according to claim 1 ~~any of the claims 1 to 3~~, characterized in that the housing (3) comprises a window (10), which gradually releases a view of the Information Carrier (9) as the fuel (5) is consumed.

Claim 5 (currently amended): Lighter according to claim 1 ~~any of the claims 1 to 4~~, characterized in that the Information Carrier (9) is held in the fuel tank (2) with the help of holding devices.

Claim 6 (currently amended): Lighter according to claim 1 ~~any of the claims 1 to 5~~, characterized in that the fuel (5) is liquefied gas.

Claim 7 (currently amended): Lighter according to claim 1 ~~any of the claims 1 to 5~~, characterized in that the fuel (5) is white gas.

Claim 8 (currently amended): Lighter according to claim 1 ~~any of the claims 1 to 7~~, characterized in that it is embodied as a disposable lighter.

Claim 9 (currently amended): Lighter according to claim 1 ~~any of the claims 1 to 8~~, characterized in that the Information Carrier (9) has the form of a plastic part, on which the information is imprinted.

Claim 10 (currently amended): Lighter according to claim 1 ~~any of the claims 1 to 8~~, characterized in that the Information Carrier (9) has the form of a plastic part, onto which a film carrying the information or a paper sheet carrying the information is glued.

Claim 11 (currently amended): Lighter according to claim 9 ~~or 10~~, characterized in that the plastic part is embodied discoidally.

Claim 12 (currently amended): Lighter according to claim 1 ~~any of the claims 1 to 11~~, characterized in that the information is an image, an advertising text, an inscription, a lot number or the like.

Claim 13 (currently amended): Lighter according to claim 1 ~~any of the claims 1 to 12~~, characterized in that the color of the Information Carrier (9) and/or the information is coordinated with the coloring of the fuel (5).